

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics for California: 1990

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see source]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population.....	29,760,021	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE ²		
SEX AND AGE			Total population.....	29,760,021	100.0
Male.....	14,897,627	50.1	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	7,687,938	25.8
Female.....	14,862,394	49.9	Mexican.....	6,118,996	20.6
			Puerto Rican.....	126,417	0.4
Under 5 years.....	2,397,715	8.1	Cuban.....	71,977	0.2
5 to 9 years.....	2,223,982	7.5	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	1,370,548	4.6
10 to 14 years.....	1,977,343	6.6	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	22,072,083	74.2
15 to 19 years.....	2,053,148	6.9	White.....	17,029,126	57.2
20 to 24 years.....	2,510,794	8.4			
25 to 34 years.....	5,686,371	19.1	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	4,639,321	15.6	Total population.....	29,760,021	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	2,902,569	9.8	In households.....	29,008,161	97.5
55 to 59 years.....	1,133,907	3.8	Householder.....	10,381,206	34.9
60 to 64 years.....	1,099,319	3.7	Spouse.....	5,469,522	18.4
65 to 74 years.....	1,857,221	6.2	Child.....	9,017,494	30.3
75 to 84 years.....	979,224	3.3	Own child under 18 years.....	6,818,899	22.9
85 years and over.....	299,107	1.0	Other relatives.....	2,082,691	7.0
			Under 18 years.....	673,563	2.3
Median age (years).....	31.4	(X)	Nonrelatives.....	2,057,248	6.9
			Unmarried partner ³	495,223	1.7
18 years and over.....	22,009,296	74.0	In group quarters.....	751,860	2.5
Male.....	10,920,937	36.7	Institutionalized population.....	376,374	1.3
Female.....	11,088,359	37.3	Noninstitutionalized population.....	375,486	1.3
21 years and over.....	20,598,096	69.2			
62 years and over.....	3,791,425	12.7	HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
65 years and over.....	3,135,552	10.5	Total households.....	10,381,206	100.0
Male.....	1,295,799	4.4	Family households (families).....	7,139,394	68.8
Female.....	1,839,753	6.2	With own children under 18 years.....	3,544,780	34.1
			Married-couple family.....	5,469,522	52.7
RACE ¹			With own children under 18 years.....	2,655,649	25.6
One race ¹	29,760,021	100.0	Female householder, no husband present.....	1,192,180	11.5
White.....	20,524,327	69.0	With own children under 18 years.....	679,098	6.5
Black or African American.....	2,208,801	7.4	Nonfamily households.....	3,241,812	31.2
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	242,164	0.8	Householder living alone.....	2,429,867	23.4
Asian.....	2,735,060	9.2	Householder 65 years and over.....	818,520	7.9
Asian Indian.....	159,973	0.5			
Chinese.....	704,850	2.4	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	3,906,232	37.6
Filipino.....	731,685	2.5	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	2,241,643	21.6
Japanese.....	312,989	1.1			
Korean.....	259,941	0.9	Average household size.....	2.79	(X)
Vietnamese.....	280,223	0.9	Average family size.....	3.32	(X)
Other Asian.....	285,399	1.0			
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander....	110,599	0.4	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian.....	34,447	0.1	Total housing units.....	11,182,882	100.0
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	25,059	0.1	Occupied housing units.....	10,381,206	92.8
Samoan.....	31,917	0.1	Vacant housing units.....	801,676	7.2
Other Pacific Islander.....	19,176	0.1	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	195,385	1.7
Some other race.....	3,939,070	13.2			
Two or more races ¹	(NA)	(NA)	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	2.0	(X)
			Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	5.9	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ¹			HOUSING TENURE		
White.....	(NA)	(NA)	Occupied housing units.....	10,381,206	100.0
Black or African American.....	(NA)	(NA)	Owner-occupied housing units.....	5,773,943	55.6
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	(NA)	(NA)	Renter-occupied housing units.....	4,607,263	44.4
Asian.....	(NA)	(NA)			
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	(NA)	(NA)	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.84	(X)
Some other race.....	(NA)	(NA)	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.74	(X)

- Represents zero or rounds to zero. (X) Not applicable. (NA) Not available.

¹ Census 2000 terminology and categories are used for data on race. Because individuals could report only one race in the 1990 census and could report one or more races in Census 2000, data on race for 1990 and 2000 are not comparable. See "Population by Race and Hispanic or Latino Origin for the United States: 1990 to 2000," (PHC-T-1). At <www.census.gov>, select Population Tables/Reports, then select List of Tables.

² Census 2000 terminology is used for ethnic categories. The corresponding term for "Hispanic or Latino" in the 1990 census was "Hispanic origin."

³ Sample data on unmarried-partner households, as shown in U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population, Social and Economic Characteristics (1990 CP-2), report series published 1993-1994.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population, General Population Characteristics (1990 CP-1), and 1990 Census of Housing, General Housing Characteristics (1990 CH-1), report series published 1992-1993; and Summary Tape File (STF) 1A, series released 1991.